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For fifteen years the construction of our new navy has been carried on against a great deal of popular indifference, and appropriations for the work have been grudgingly given. But what have we gained by our plight today if our naval equipment were only that which we had in 1883.

Commodore Dewey is the possessor of twenty-one suits of clothes and changes his dress three times a day. He is a typical society man and never appears at his club except in full evennig dress. This destroys a popular illusion that all heroes must necessarily wear blue jeans and gum boots.

No Memorial Day since the establishment of that beautiful and touching custom has ever been so generally or more earnestly celebrated than tomorrow will be. For the first time for more than thirty years the sod of American soil has been broken to receive the mutilated remains of brave men who lost their lives in defense of the country's honor and the cause of humanity. From the fresh inspiration of the grave of the young ensign in North Carolina, of whom Henry Watterson made such eloquent mention the other day, with those containing the bodies of his co-heroes of the Winslow and the immortal 26 martyrs who went down with the Maine, the whole country regardless of section will unite in such a solemn and patriotic observance of Memorial Day as has not been witnessed since the terrowful days immediately succeeding the civil war.

T. T. Geer will be elected governor by perhaps the largest majority ever cast in the state for that candidate on a republican ticket. Wherever he has gone stirring the campaign, the calm and logical logic of his arguments on the issues of the campaign have made votes not only for himself, but the whole state ticket to the hundred. Everybody knows Mr. Geer's sincerity, and his standing and reputation as a citizen of integrity have commanded for him in whatever audience he has addressed a respectful and thoughtful hearing. Mr. Geer's labors in the cause of sound money, when it needed spokesmen and friends in Oregon, have endeared him to honest minded people of all political connections and classes, and it is a satisfaction to know that he will reap the reward his sterling manhood and rugged earnestness have so richly deserved in the support he will receive at the polls in June.

THE GOLDEN OUTLOOK.

If money be the sinews of war—and no statesman has ever gainsaid it—few nations have ever been so well prepared for that last arbitrament of nations as the United States at the present time. While the great powers of Europe are locking up gold in their war chests to provide for the dread emergency which each fears and all deplore, free gold is pouring into the United States and into the treasury under the influence of those immutable laws of trade that neither legislation nor despotic decree can alter. Gold is the money of war, because it is the money of the world, and it would seem as if all the gods of war were conspiring to pour it into our lap.

Doubtless we get gold because we have something to give for it in exchange with foreign nations, and that is our grain and other farm products. Never has our export business been so profitable. Our imports of gold to pay the balances have been larger in the past ten months than for any corresponding period in our history.

To come down to the dry figures, our imports of gold for the ten months of the fiscal year ending April 30 were $90,315,561. During the same period the coinage of gold at our own mints was $50,012,422. In round numbers this means an increase in our gold currency of $150,000,000.

But there is not only this influx and increase of the gold circulation that betokens the general prosperity of the American people, but everywhere we see the prospect of another bumper crop to be marketed at prices that will richly repay the producers. This alone foretells incalculable gain.

In this connection we would once more impress the lesson on the mind of the farmer that as he grows and deals in the world's merchandise so he should be content with nothing less than the world's money. To exchange the fruit of his labor for a localized or debased currency is simply to put himself at the mercy of brokers who in the various transfers of the products of the farm to their ultimate market reap a profit they otherwise could not have, and it all comes out of the producer.

Notwithstanding the alarms of war, therefore, the signs of prosperity are all around us. Let us hope the war will be brought to a swift conclusion that our prosperity may be abiding.

NO POLITICS IN THE NAVY

It so happens that three of the naval commanders most conspicuous in the present war, Admiral Dewey, the hero of Manila; Admiral Sampson, who is measuring strategical skill with Cervera in West India waters; and Captain Clark, who brought the battleship Oregon through a safe journey of more than 14,000 miles, are from the same State, Vermont.

It is very doubtful if any reader familiar with the naval records of these three officers could tell to which political party they belong. It is certain no one has been able to do so in the case of Admiral Dewey, whose politics, if he has any, even his son does not know.

It is because the navy has been free from political influence that it has escaped sectionalism, and there would be no complaint if all the important naval commands were given to men from one state.

In times like the present, when the executive is called upon to appoint corps and brigade commanders for the army, the question of geographical distribution is one of the first to be relied. Such a question would never be considered in making naval appointments.

The navy, too, has been free from the scandals which at times have afflicted the army, and the fact is attributed to its freedom from political influence.

Merit, and merit alone, has been the test for preferment in the sea arm of the country's fighting service.

JURY TRIALS

The outcome of another trials all over the land so frequently occurs shortly through the preponderance of petit juries to find verdicts indicted by a grand jury against of the worst offenders against the law and society, namely, premeditated murder, and the perpetrators of images to prominence its extreme quality. Can there be no safeguards against such a condition? Trial by jury is one of the cornerstones of our system of law. Prosperity, born of independence in selling and criminal, thereupon caused by needless expense in inclement weather, dangerous arrests, troubles resulting from inadequate facilities of the jurors, and all the formidable outgrowth of so called minor offenses against and their trained, its counsel, while Hostetter's Stomach Bitters is a comprehensive preventative of malarial ailments. This medicine is also an unparalleled appetizer and sleep producer.

It is well to have a good opinion of oneself, but too much of it may cause disagreeable results in catastrophe for the individual concerned.

DISCOVERED BY A WOMAN

Another great discovery has been made, and that too, by a lady in this country. "Disease fastened its clutches upon her and for seven years she withstood its severest tests, but her vital organs were undermined and death seemed imminent. For three months she coughed incessantly, and could not sleep. SShe finally discovered a way to recovery, by purchasing of a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, and was so much relieved on taking first dose, that she slept all night; and with two bottles, has been absolutely cured. Her name is Mrs. Luther Lutz. Thus writes W. C. Hamnick & Co., of Shelby, N. C. Trial bottle free at Estes-Conn Drug Co. Regular size 50c and $1.00. Every bottle guaranteed.

One can be far more lonely in a crowd where not one single heart beats in sympathy than when perfectly isolated, yet secure in the knowledge that some one does care for her.

Thin Blood

Where the blood loses its intense red—grows thin and watery, as in anemia, there is a constant feeling of exhaustion, a lack of energy—vitality and the spirits depressed.

Scott's Emulsion

of Cod-liver Oil with Hypophosphites of Lime and Soda is peculiarly adapted to correct this condition. The cod-liver oil, emulsified to an exquisite fineness, enters the blood direct and feeds its every corpuscle, restoring the natural color and giving vitality to the whole system. The hypophosphites reach the brain and nerve centres and add their strengthening and beneficial effect. If the roses have left your cheeks, if you are growing thin and exhausted from overwork, or if age is beginning to tell, use SCOTT'S Emulsion.

Be sure you get SCOTT'S Emulsion.

All druggists; 50c. and $1.00.

SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, New York.

Do you care whether you pay for food and eat 100 sorts of trash with it?

Schilling's Best

tea, coffee, soda, baking powder, flavoring extracts and spices

are pure and money-back.

For sale by

Ross, Higgins & Company

Tide Table for May, 1898.

DATE	HIGH WATER A. M.	HIGH WATER P. M.	LOW WATER A. M.	LOW WATER P. M.
	h.m. ft.	h.m. ft.	h.m. ft.	h.m. ft.
Sun.	1 8 57 6.1	9 24 7.0	2 56 2.7	9 51 2.3
Mon.	2 9 59 6.3	10 09 7.5	3 54 1.9	10 42 2.5
Tues	3 10 55 6.8	10 54 8.0	4 46 1.2	4 40 2.6
Wed.	4 11 47 7.0	11 34 8.5	5 34 0.6	5 20 2.7
Thurs.	5	12 37 7.0	6 21 0.1	6 15 2.8
Fri.	6 0 14 8.9	1 26 7.0	7 08 0.5	7 02 2.9
Sat.	7 0 55 9.0	2 14 7.0	7 54 0.8	7 49 3.2
Sun.	8 1 39 9.1	3 01 6.8	8 40 0.9	8 35 3.3
Mon.	9 2 23 9.3	3 51 6.8	9 31 0.9	9 34 3.4
Tues	10 3 18 9.4	4 45 6.7	10 22 0.7	10 38 3.4
Wed.	11 4 17 7.8	5 43 6.8	11 17 0.3	11 49 3.2
Thurs.	12 5 26 7.2	6 42 7.0	....	12 15 0.8
Fri.	13 6 45 6.8	7 38 7.2	0 59 2.9	1 13 1.3
Sat.	14 8 02 6.7	8 31 7.4	2 03 2.3	2 11 1.8
Sun.	15 9 10 6.9	9 21 7.7	3 00 1.8	3 11 2.0
Mon.	16 10 11 7.0	10 10 8.0	4 04 1.1	4 07 2.3
Tues	17 11 06 7.0	10 54 8.2	4 57 0.6	5 00 2.5
Wed.	18 11 57 7.0	11 35 8.4	5 45 0.0	5 52 2.9
Thurs.	19	12 41 6.9	6 30 0.2	6 31 3.2
Fri.	20 0 11 8.4	1 25 6.8	7 09 0.4	7 11 3.5
Sat.	21 0 45 8.3	2 05 6.7	7 47 0.3	7 49 3.7
Sun	22 1 13 8.1	2 41 6.7	8 23 0.1	8 26 3.8
Mon.	23 1 51 7.8	3 15 6.8	8 54 0.2	9 02 3.9
Tues	24 2 24 7.5	3 51 6.5	9 25 0.5	9 41 4.0
Wed.	25 3 01 7.2	4 30 6.3	9 57 0.8	10 22 3.9
Thurs.	26 3 46 6.8	5 15 6.0	10 30 1.1	11 09 3.7
Fri.	27 4 40 6.4	6 00 6.0	11 08 1.5	....
Sat.	28 5 51 6.0	6 45 7.0	0 07 3.3	....
Sun.	29	....	11 54 2.9	....
Mon.	29 7 09 5.9	7 35 7.2	1 13 2.8	12 51 2.5
Tues	30 8 26 5.8	8 20 7.6	2 13 2.2	1 42 2.9
Wed.	31 9 37 5.9	9 23 8.1	3 22 1.6	2 36 3.1

VESSELS BOUND TO ASTORIA.

Glenbank, Leonard, Br bk, 1359 tons, Calcutta.

Midas, Messenger, Br bk, 1362 tons, Nagasaki.

Alexander Black, Dunn, Br bk, 1391 tons, Antwerp.

Forthbank, Peterson, Br bk, 1339 tons, Gerghenti.

Joseph Pulitzer, Harvey, Am sch, 71 tons, New York.

Clackmannanshire, Thomson, Br sh, 1482 tons, Newcastle.

Silberhorn, Gibson, Br bk, 1774 tons, Liverpool.

Argo, Maclean, Br sh, 1490 tons, Antwerp.

Castle Rock, Jones, Br str, 1,797 tons, Hiogo.

Lombard, Rasson, Br str, 1,858 tons, Hong Kong.

Dunfoyl, MacPherson, Br sh, 2138 tons, Hamburg.

Parrinch, Breach Br sh, 1295 tons, Manila.

Lee Adelshus, Lehrston, Br Bark 1327 tons, Freemantle.

Deseoine, Bush Br sh, 1198 tons, Newcastle.

Clarinet, Hinke, Ger sh, 891 tons, Iquique.

Lauriston, Latta, Br bk, 812 tons, Rio Janeiro.

Howth, Martin, Br bk, 2168 tons, Calcutta.

Emma Pasha, Christensen, Ger bk, 1267 tons, Antwerp.

Wallacehall, Motley, Br sh, 1288 tons, Antwerp.

John Cook, Magee, Br sh, 1784 tons, Hiogo.

Strathea, Barry, Br sh, 1329 tons, Yokohama.

Helensburg, Jefferson, Br sh, 1890 tons, Shanghai.

Cleeard, Turner, Br sh, 1798 tons, San Francisco.

Fisher Hill, Scott, Br. sh., 1665 tons, Shanghai.

Argyle, Ward, Br. stmr., 1386 tons, Hong Kong.

Nessus, Schulte, Ger sh, 1159 tons, Hamburg.

Westdale, Fisher, Br. sh, 1775 tons, Antwerp.

Helensburg, Jefferson, Br sh., 1899 tons, Shanghai.

Fiery Hall, Scott, Br. sh., 1899 tons, Shanghai.

Nessus, Shultz, Ger. sh., 1759 tons, Hamburg.

Fort Elgin, Rodney, Br. sh., 1828 tons, Antwerp.

Westdale, Fisher, Br. sh., 1775 tons, Antwerp.

LUMBER FLEET

Vessels on the Way and in Columbia River to Load Lumber.

Omera, —, bktn, 552 tons, Mollendo.
Viking, ——, schr, 129 tons, San Francisco.
Whitgift, Bowling, Br stmr, 1880 tons, San Francisco.
Mary E. Russ, Nelson, schr, 231 tons, San Pedro.

WHOOPING COUGH.

I had a little boy who was nearly dead from an attack of whooping cough. My neighbors recommended Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. I did not think that any medicine would help him, but after giving him a few doses of that remedy I noticed an improvement, and one bottle cured him entirely. It is the best cough medicine I ever had in the house.—J. L. Moore, South Burgettstown, Pa. For sale by Charles Rogers, druggist.

If you wish to see a house looking as though it had been struck by a cyclone, behold it after the paper hangers and the dressmakers have been working in it on the same day.

Mobl Tea positively cures sick headache, indigestion and constipation. A delightful herb drink. Removes all eruptions of the skin, producing a perfect complection, or money refunded. 25 and 50 cents. For sale by Estes-Conn Drug Co.

And now the mad desire for novelty is making women part their hair on the side.

The entering wedge of a fatal complaint is often a slight cold, which a dose or two of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral might have cured at the commencement. Therefore it is advisable to have this prompt and sure remedy always at hand to meet an emergency.

The man who loans you his umbrella during the sudden shower might be truthfully called a rain-beau.

BUCKLEN'S ARNICA SALVE

THE BEST SALVE in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Estes-Conn Drug Co.

Hours become days, and days hours, according as we are away from or with the one who constitutes the world for us.

Loose clothes and downy cushions bring only a negative sort of comfort to the woman who is suffering with some disease or derangement of the organs distinctly feminine. Some clothes and some positions make the pain and the discomfort seem less. Perhaps the nerves are most affected and this in turn disturbs the digestion. Nothing will ever completely relieve but a radical cure. The start of so-called "female complaints" may be a very slight thing indeed. It may be that in the beginning some small hygienic measures would stop the trouble. Certainly at this time, a little bit of the right medicine would cure it. When the trouble becomes worse, it is harder to cure, but still it can be cured. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription will positively cure any trouble of this character. It may be absolutely relied upon. If infinite lasting relief to a women whose health has kept her from confining a physician. Sent 21 cents in one-cent stamps to World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y., and receive Dr. Pierce's 908 page "Common Sense Medical Adviser," profusely illustrated.

In each one of us the good is continually striving for mastery. It is our own fault striving for mastery. It is our own fault.

Many old soldiers now feel the effects of the hard service they endured during the war. Mr. Geo. S. Anderson, of Rossville, York county, Penn., who saw the hardest kind of service at the front, is now frequently troubled with rheumatism. "I had a severe attack lately," he says, "and procured a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It did so much good that I would like to know what you would charge me for one dozen bottles." Mr. Anderson wanted it both for his own use and to supply it to his friends and neighbors, as every family should have a bottle of it in their home, not only for rheumatism, but lame back, sprains, swellings, cuts, bruises and burns, for which is unequaled. For sale by Charles Rogers, druggist.

Aren't there some men to whom nature gave faces that made the vocation of undertaker an absolute necessity?

Acker's Dyspepsia Tablets are sold on a positive guarantee. Cures heart-burn, raising of the food, distress after eatmeat any form of dyspepsia. One little tablet gives immediate relief. 25 and 50 cents. For sale by Estes-Conn Drug Co.

A smile from one we care about counts more than reams of compliment from those who are omnipresent in our life.

Luxuriant hair, of uniform color, is a beautiful head-covering for either sex, and may be secured by using Hall's Vegetable Sicilian Hair Renewer.

The sound of the lawn mower is heard in the land.

CHIEF OF POLICE SALE

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of a warrant for the collection of a delinquent assessment for the improvement described as follows: The Improvement of Thirty- third, Thirty-fifth streets and Harrison avenue, in Adair's Astoria, duly issued by the Auditor and Police Judge of the City of Astoria, by direction of the Common Council of said city, said warrant being dated the 11th day of April, 1898, to me directed, and the assessment in which specified amounting to the sum of $19.99 with interest thereon from the 11th day of November, 1897, at 8 per cent per annum, being against the following named person, towit, Elenor Avery, owner of the following described property, to-wit, lot 23, block 41, Adair's Astoria, and against said described property, and which warrant commands me to levy upon and make sale of said described property, in order to satisfy said assessment, the interest thereon and the costs and expenses of sale, I did on the 9th day of May, 1898, duly levy upon the above described real property, and I will on the 8th day of June, 1898, at the hour of 2 o'clock, in the afternoon of said day, at the Court House Door, in the City of Astoria, County of Clatsop, State of Oregon, sell said above described property at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, U. S. Gold Coin, to satisfy said assessment, the interest thereon and the costs and expenses of sale, and accruing costs.

Dated at Astoria, Oregon, the 9th day of May, 1898.

E. HALLOCK,
Chief of Police, City of Astoria, Oregon.

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Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of a warrant for the collection of a delinquent assessment for the improvement described as follows: The Improvement of Bond street from the west line of Ninth street to the west line of blocks 16 and 17, McClure's Astoria, duly issued by the Auditor and Police Judge of the City of Astoria, by direction of the Common Council of said city, said warrant being dated the 11th day of April, 1898, to me directed, and the assessment in which specified amounting to the sum of $63.62 with interest thereon from the 8th day of January, 1898, at 8 per cent per annum, being against the following named person, towit, W. W. Parker, owner of the following described property, to-wit, lot 5, block 14, McClure's Astoria, and against said described property, and which warrant commands me to levy upon and make sale of said described property, in order to satisfy said assessment, the interest thereon and the costs and expenses of sale, I did on the 9th day of May, 1898, duly levy upon the above described real property, and I will on the 8th day of June, 1898, at the hour of 2 o'clock, in the afternoon of said day, at the Court House Door, in the City of Astoria, County of Clatsop, State of Oregon, sell said above described property at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, U. S. Gold Coin, to satisfy said assessment, the interest thereon and the costs and expenses of sale, and accruing costs.

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